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"There are more men ennobled by reading than by nature."

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GALLAUDET HOME.

Mr. and Mrs. Jordan, the sister and brother-in-law of Mr. Samuel Johnson showed up at the Home unexpectedly on the afternoon of the eighth of August last in their new and beautiful little Overland automobile. They came to take Samuel out to Newburgh for a couple of days for a change. Mr. and Mrs. Jordan had traveled all the way from Pittsburgh, Pa., where they live and run a large millinery store. Mr. Jordan is his own chauffeur and is spoken of as a good one. Before coming here they went to Washington, D. C., and visited other places on the way thither. They took Samuel, and he is said to have enjoyed himself immensely while over in Newburgh with his other sister, Mrs. Dixon. Mr. and Mrs. Jordan and Samuel returned here on the afternoon of the tenth of August, and remained here until early Sunday morning, August twelfth. They left for New York, wherethey intend to do considerable shopping previous to their return to Pittsburgh. Recently a friend of Mrs. Jordan received a card from her stating she and her husband got home without a hitch or a scratch. A few hours after Mr. and Mrs. Jordan had arrived here from Newburgh, on the afternoon of the tenth of August, Rev. John Henry Keiser, Mrs. Keiser and their daughter Doris, were brought up to the Home in the surrey by janitor Morrison from New Hamburg. They had made the trip up the river to that place and remarked that Doris had enjoyed it immensely. She is now a little over two years old and is as bright as a dollar. She is already able to express her wants to her parents by way of natural signs and appears to be a very promising child. The day of the twelfth of August, being unusually warm, Rev. Keiser decided to preach out on the lawn and did so. Each inmate took his or her chair and there located themselves in the shady places. As soon as the preacher began to preach, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Campbell, the newly married couple, drove up to the door in their carriage and seated themselves on the long asphalt piazza where they chatted with Mrs. Keiser until her husband was through with his short discourse. He discussed the progress of the war in Europe and attempted to describe the wretched trenches by drawing a diagram on the road that circles the lawn, but found that impracticable. The sun had not yet gone down beyond the highlands of the Hudson, and it was so warm, Mr. Keiser was forced to discontinue his sermon, he being covered with perspiration after a fifteen minute discourse. After having a lively chat with Mr. and Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. Keiser accepted their invitation to stay a week or so with them. Mr. Keiser was invited too, but on account of business matters in the metropolis he was obliged to decline their kind invitation. Mrs. Keiser and Doris accordingly got into the carriage and the party drove away just as it was time for supper. Rev. Keiser came here again to preach on the twenty-sixth of August, and on that occasion he paid a glowing tribute to the career of the late Mr. Enoch Henry Currier, whose sudden, unexpected and untimely death was a shock to every resident of the Home.

It may not be generally known to many readers of this newspaper, that the late Mr. Enoch Henry Currier was Secretary of the Executive Committee of the Home for a long time in its early days. Most of the folks here knew him very well, while some were pupils at Fanwood when he was appointed a teacher at the school, in the middle of May, 1872.

Late in August Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Cain went to their old home in Neversink, in Sullivan Co., N. Y., where they sojourned for a week. They had a very good time, and wished they could have remained a week longer. They said it was quite cold over in Sullivan County. Mrs. Cain brought with her some maple syrup and presented it to the Home. All said it was delicious. Her mother is accustomed to making a large quantity of such syrup every year.

The old sewer which conveys the refuse of the Home to a point somewhere beyond the meadow lot, is

being renovated. It is very old. A week or so ago, at the time of a heavy downpour, the old sewer was so plugged up with dirt that it refused to convey the drainage away, consequently a pool several yards in diameter and several inches deep was formed in the back yard.

Mr. Isaac Newton Soper was the only resident of the Home to attend the celebration of the hundredth anniversary of his school at Hartford. He was away a little over a week. When he returned here he was very sick for about a week. He is now suffering a little with a headache, which he attributes to the foul air caused by the old sewer. Hugh Miner and Miss Woodworth are old pupils of the Hartford school as well as Mr. Soper, but unfortunately their infirmities would not permit their going to visit their alma mater.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Mann were here for a couple of days early in August. Although their son Clarence has no teeth, he has been drafted but has not been called yet. Unfortunately for the young man, he lost all his teeth or had them knocked out of his mouth while exercising in a gymnasium some years ago. Surely a soldier can shoot even as well with no teeth as with them.

The waitress, Miss Edith Williams, left here in the middle of last June to do work in her garden for her mother. Her place was soon occupied by a younger maiden named Sadie Weeks, who has proven a good worker. A little while ago Edith Williams was here on a short visit with two of her sisters. She informed the matron that she would like to come back here again. Sadie Weeks is learning to talk with her fingers. Her sister Ann, who is but eight years of age and who has visited the Home several times, expresses a desire to learn the manual alphabet too. A nice card bearing the manual finger alphabet was given her to take home when she was here last.

Mr. William Patterson was sick abed for a week last August. It is his opinion that the foul air of the sewer caused his illness. During the past month the residents have enjoyed plenty of corn, tomatoes, cucumbers and other fresh vegetables. This season, it is somewhat lamentable to state, there are but few blackberries around the house. A few years ago it was no difficult matter for the men to go a stone's throw from the house and pick several quarts of berries, or enough for the whole family for supper for several weeks. The cause of the scarcity of the berries is due to the fact that the farmer and his assistants have not given the vines any care or attention.

The grape vines have suffered a similar treatment, so that their fruit is scanty and good for nothing. Miss Eliza Washburn, who visited her niece in Ossining some weeks ago, is now confined to her bed, suffering from a wound she received by a fall in her niece's bathroom. As it is supposed the side of her head is fractured. It is doubtful if she will recover or be herself again.

During the summer there have been visitors to the Home, besides those already mentioned, but as such visitors have no connection or association with the deaf, it is not necessary that I should mention them all here. Once in a while strangers stop at the door, and get out of their auto, and ask to see the place. Such persons are generally shown around by the matron or her assistant.

S. R.

CHURCH MISSION TO DEAF-MUTES.

NEW YORK DISTRICT NOTICES

St. Ann's Church, N. Y., every Sunday, 9 A.M. and 3 P.M.
Holy Communion, October 7th, 3 P.M., and October 21st, 9 A.M.

St. Mark's Church, Brooklyn, every Sunday, 3 P.M.
Holy Communion, October 23th.

OCTOBER.

14—St. Peter's Church, Port Chester, 11 A.M. and 3 P.M.
Gallaudet Home, 10:30 A.M., Holy Communion.

St. George's Church, Newburgh, 3:30 P.M., Holy Communion.

21—Trinity Church, Newark, N. J., 3 P.M., Holy Communion.

28—St. Peter's Church, Port Chester, 11 A.M., Holy Communion.

Gallaudet Home, 10:30 A.M., Holy Communion.

St. George's Church, Newburgh, 3:30 P.M.

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The Vastness of South America.

The vastness of South America is the first thing we must understand. I travel about thirty or forty thousand miles each year trying to cover my circuit. It takes me longer to go between the extreme points, from Panama by steamer down the west coast and on through the Straits to Asuncion Paraguay, than it would take to go from San Francisco to Cairo and back to Glasgow.

You think of Bolivia as a little country. It is as big as Germany, Austria, England. Peru is as large as all the United States from Nova Scotia to the Gulf. Argentina equals all the United States west of Omaha. Brazil is a United States with another Texas added. The resources of that vast area are in keeping with the bigness of the continent.

You know, at least vaguely, of minerals—gold, silver, tin, copper, vanadium, bismuth, tungsten, the diamond mines of Brazil, and the emerald mines of Columbia. Chile and Bolivia have been selling \$130,000,000 worth of nitrates every year to fertilize the black sugar fields of Germany. The black, rich alluvial soil of Brazil, Argentina, and Uruguay, is as good as the best in Illinois and Iowa. Corn grows seventy bushels to the acre; wheat, fifty bushels; alfalfa, six crops a year.

In the latitude south of the equator, as far as Chicago is north of it, we have an Illinois soil and a southern California climate. Such a combination comes as near to an agricultural paradise as there is in this poor world. "What kind of barns do they build in Argentina?" a man asked me. "What do they want barns for?" I replied. "They do not need to keep cattle out of the cold. They do not have to cut and store their hay. It grows twelve months in the year."—Homer C. Shultz, in the World Outlook

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PITTSBURGH.

Dev. F. C. Smielau was in Pittsburgh, September 23d, and conducted the usual service at Trinity Church. Mr. Smielau always has something of interest to say, and this visit was no exception as indicated by reports at hand. The P. S. A. D. Branch is arranging to have Rev. Smielau deliver a lecture on October 13th, for the benefit of the Home. The reverend gentleman is a drawing card and we hope there will be a large crowd to hear him.

Mrs. Lily Haney, nee Divens, was in the city recently, having come to attend the funeral of her mother, who lived here. Many friends were glad to see her.

Mrs. Christie Etter (nee Katie Flack), of Lancaster, was also here not long ago. She came to see her brother before he left for Camp Lee at Petersburg. Mrs. Etter has many friends here, and they were glad to see her, you may be sure.

A card from Mr. C. S. Sawhill gave us the information that he was in Akron, Ohio, September 23d and 24th. On the 23d, he had the pleasure of attending a lecture there by Mr. F. R. Gray of Pittsburgh, on "Kaiserism." There was a very large and appreciative audience, and Mr. Gray made a fine impression by the way he handled his subject.

Mr. Sawhill lectured on "Faith" Sunday, the 23d, at Akron, and some 75 worshippers were present. Since then Mr. Sawhill has returned to his home in Braddock, where he will remain for a while, and then go to Birmingham, Alabama, to be with his daughter, Mabel, during the winter. He had been in Cleveland two months during the summer. His health is somewhat improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Holliday spent two delightful weeks at Carrolltown, which is somewhere up in the Alleghenies, just over the peaks from Altoona. Information, a la carte, was to the effect that they had a week-end visit at Altoona with the Richmans, McIntires and others, and while in that city, Mrs. Holliday gave a lecture on Father Damien, the Martyr of Molokai. The lecture was much appreciated although the card did not say so. Mr. Holliday, not being in any particular hurry, footed it all the way from Carrolltown to Altoona, a distance of 21 miles—some walk—but as there were stretches of 5 or 6 miles down hill the going was not so hard, and Frank reached his destination in fine fettle and declared he could go another 21 miles, but it is noted he did not offer to walk back. Doubtless, going up hill most of the way did not appeal to him.

Friends of Mrs. Holliday in Nebraska may be pleased to know her mind—and heart—is very much with them these days, for the card she sent us was addressed to "Omaha, Neb.," then changed to Pittsburgh. We are glad she came to before it was too late.

Miss Carrie Finley, of Wilkinsburg, but formerly of Kittanning, has been appointed a supervisor's assistant at the school at Edgewood. She entered or her duties at the opening of the school, September 26th.

Another appointed at the school is the person of Mr. John C. Craig, also of Armstrong Co., as janitor at the gymnasium. Mr. Craig was one of the early pupils of the Institution, and was at Turtle Creek most of his school days. He left a good farm which he had been running with his brother for many years.

Mrs. Jennie Siple, nee Shearing, formerly of the South Side, called on Mrs. Teegarden, her old neighbor and friend, recently, in company with Mrs. Hedrick. They are all South Side folk, and it was good for 'em to get together after long separation. Mrs. Siple lost her hearing when she was ten or eleven years of age, and was never at a school for the deaf, and yet she is an expert lip-reader, but never had any special training in the art.

On September 23d, according to a city paper, the Pittsburgh Social League enjoyed a corn roast out at the Lebo farm back of Aspinwall. Eighty-five members participated, according to the paper. That was some crowd, enough to deplete the Lebo corn crop considerably. The League never does things by halves,

so we know a right good time was enjoyed along with the eating.

Paul Bardes is the third son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bardes to leave for the training camp. He is in the Naval Coast Guard and we understand will be located at Cape May.

Clyde Sawhill, son of W. L. Sawhill, has also gone to camp, but we are not informed where he is to take his training.

Of course all those boys will give a good account of themselves.

Tribute to Dr. E. M. Gallaudet From Boy Chum.

Your obituary of Dr. Edward Miner Gallaudet—almost a condensed biography—excited my admiration and gratitude. Biography, truthful and vigorous, is indeed the best encomium of such men as he. But will you let me add a few words about the boy, from perhaps his earliest playmate—not in laudation of a man whose record needs no buttress, but in greater establishing of our claim of Hartford honored in her son?

Gallaudet was nearly the last on earth of that rare bunch of embryonic scholars, teachers, colonels, general, admirals, pupils in the Hartford High and Latin school in the fifties. He was offered a commission in the United States army early in the war of the secession; and was likeliest of all of us to have received rapid promotion. He was, however, more than a half century ago an example of selective conscription; he was already drafted into that work of scholarship and humanity in which his ability and devotion was to make him a leader in the world, and he extended to his schoolmates in the field of battle the greeting of the old patriot poet Whittier, that cannot be too often quoted:—

"Oh brothers blest by partial fate
With power to match the will and deed."

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To the humblest and the weakest
That wrong is also done to us,
And they are slaves most base,
Whose love of right is for themselves,
And not for all the race."

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ACCORDING to the Hagerstown, Md., *Herald*, Rev. E. Clayton Wyand is a hero. Those who witnessed his cool presence of mind and the risk to his own personal safety, agree that the Carnegie Medal ought to be pinned on his chest. The racket of the cars could not affect his deaf ears, and he succeeded where others very likely would have lost their heads. Anyway he prevented a catastrophe, and we congratulate him:—

To the ever alertness and rare presence of mind in emergency of Rev. E. Clayton Wyand, deaf minister to the deaf, the B. & O. track crew of Keedysville, under Foreman Allen Davis, owe their escape from a thriller, a bit too realistic to make comfortable "movie ribbon."

Mr. Wyand, who is doing his "bit" by helping A. C. Pry out with one of his big threshers, had just finished a crop and was on his way home earlier than usual. When he came to the top of the hill at Virtz's farm, where there is a deep cut and a sharp curve in the railroad, he beheld B. & O. extra freight engine No. 115, without anything in tow, climbing the grade at a lively clip, and in the opposite direction he saw the electric car containing the track men descending the grade at a greater speed than the engine.

Rushing down the "cut" embankment to the middle of the track at the curve, in full view of both crews, he bent his efforts to stop the electric car, and as soon as he perceived the crew had caught his signal, turned and stopped the engine about 100 feet from the electric car. The car crew reversed their car and "beat it" back up grade to the crossing at the Wyand farm, where it was sidetracked.

DURING the past two or three weeks, we have received several complaints of late delivery of the JOURNAL. We would ask subscribers to be patient in these times of war. Young men have been taken to training camps from positions in establishments both great and small. Possibly the post office force has been reduced, and surely those who handle the mails have had plenty of work thrust upon them. In ordinary times, the Post Office Department practices great economy, and there are no drones in this hive of the nation's industry. So, when extra work comes on, there are no extra men to do it, and the glut in mail matter can not be disposed of with the efficiency and speed of average days. Second class matter has to wait. On the approach of Election Day, during Christmas, New Year and other holidays, the enormous amount of extra mail matter must necessitate delay in the particular class that can wait with the least loss. The JOURNAL goes to the post office in classified bundles, and in regular United States mail sacks, every

Wednesday at noon. It all goes together, and that is the utmost that can be done, for no newspaper can interfere after the sacks reach the post office.

Moreover, if any of our readers will take the trouble to note, they will ascertain upon inquiry that the number of mail trains has been reduced, and the railroads have furnished a quite large quota of men who are now wearing the Khaki in our Uncle Sam's military and naval service.

This week we are reluctantly obliged to chronicle the execution of two deaf-mute young men for the crime of murder. The deaf have a fine record for good and straight living, and this exception is lamentable. We sympathize with the families and friends of the young men who have paid the penalty of death. Yet, in their deaths all should ponder the lesson it teaches—that teachings of school days should be absorbed and heeded. The vicious in youth, the disobedient, have less to hope for in the world of men and women than those who apply themselves to their studies and endeavor to become good and intelligent and industrious. The boy is the making of the man, and the habits formed in youth are rarely changed for the better in the days of manhood. Like all terrible lessons, we hope this present lesson will carry some influence for the general good.

Two Deaf-Mutes Hang for Crime.

Two deaf-mutes were executed at an early hour this morning in the state prison at Wethersfield. Joseph Castell and Francesco Vetere, 24 and 25 years old, respectively, paid the penalty for murder. So far as known this was the first execution of a deaf and dumb person in Connecticut, and is believed to be the first in the country. It was the first execution at the prison since March 10, 1916, when Pasquale Zuppa, of New Haven, was hanged for the murder of his wife. The last double execution at the prison was March 3d, 1916, when Isaac N. Williams and Harry E. Roe were hanged for the murder of County Commissioner Case in Barkhamsted.

Both of the mutes showed fortitude in their last hours. Castell walked to his death firmly and calmly, but Vetere, who had the more trying experience of waiting in the death cell to be the second to go under the noose, was obviously nervous and weak. Castell was executed at 12:03:12 a. m. and was pronounced dead 12:13:15, a period of 10 minutes and 3 seconds. His neck was broken and not a muscle moved after the gallows suspended him. Ten minutes later Vetere was led in and he was in a state of dejection as the black cap was put on. He was executed at 12:23:24 and was pronounced dead at 12:32:10, a period of 8 minutes and 46 seconds. His legs twitched convulsively, but Dr. E. G. Fox said Vetere's neck was also broken by the rope.

Execution of the death sentence was carried out by Warden A. Garner, Deputy Warden Carl Lewis, Dr. E. Fox, and the prison deputies. Spiritual rites were administered at the last moment by the Rev. Oliver T. Magnall, and the Rev. Arthur G. Cavanaugh. Witnesses of the execution were representatives of the *Hartford Courant*, *Hartford Post*, the *Hartford Times*, *New Haven Union* and *New Haven Times-Leader*.

CIRCUMSTANCES OF CRIME.

The men were executed for the murder of Castell's wife, Annie, in New Haven, April 23, 1916. All concerned were deaf-mutes and the circumstances most unusual. Castell and Vetere were both born in Italy, and curiously enough when each was about three years old he was afflicted with apical meningitis or infantile paralysis and thereafter was deaf and dumb. Each was brought to this country in that unfortunate condition and the families settled in or near New York. The boys formed their acquaintance and friendship at St. Joseph's school for Catholic Deaf and Dumb in Westchester, N. Y., where they were in attendance seven years—about half the course necessary for the education of a deaf-mute.

Castell lived in Harlem and Vetere in Brooklyn after returning to New York, but they met frequently at the gatherings of deaf-mutes at their church on Sixteenth Street, New York. Castell was considerable of a bean among the Italian mutes, but he finally married a Mrs. Annie Focci, a divorced woman, also a deaf-mute. She was said to

be of good character. Vetere was the bosom friend of both Castell and his wife, and it is the peculiar result of that friendship that ended in his disgraceful death.

ELOPEMENT WITH VETERE

Mr. and Mrs. Castell lived happily but a short time. They had many quarrels over Castell's attentions to other women, and in a few months they separated, Castell contributing something to his wife's support, but she made complaints to the other mutes at their meeting place about her husband's treatment of her and of his amours with other women. Principally for this reason he wanted to get rid of her, and he entered into a nefarious conspiracy with Vetere for the latter to elope with Mrs. Castell. Though few of his friends have believed him, Vetere has maintained that it was a genuine elopement. What Mrs. Castell's sentiments were toward her friend and her husband's friend, Vetere, were never known.

The dastardly scheme was carried out by the men, Vetere going to New Haven and getting a job, then returning to New York and getting Mrs. Castell to go to New Haven with him. Castell knew of their departure and followed them on the same train. He went directly to the rooming house in New Haven where Vetere and the woman were to stay and secreted himself in the clothes closet. After Vetere and Mrs. Castell entered the room Castell jumped out of the closet and beat Annie on the head with an iron pipe, leaving her unconscious. Then both Castell and Vetere fled back to New York on a train and together attended a party given by deaf-mutes.

FOUND ALIVE BY POLICE.

Mrs. Castell was found alive by the New Haven police, but she died soon afterwards without regaining her senses, and for a time it was not known who the dead woman was. A photograph was taken of her remains and the news that a deaf-mute woman had been found dead in New Haven reached New York a couple of days after the murder. Castell had been spreading the report that his wife was missing. The photographs of the dead woman reached New York about the same time, friends recognized it, and Castell and Vetere were arrested in New York within three days of the time the crime committed.

At the time of their trial the men had an opportunity to plead guilty to second degree murder, if both would do so, but first one would consent and then change his mind, and then the other would follow the same vacillating course. They were convicted and sentenced to be hanged March 15, but were reprieved to July 6, by reason of appealing to the supreme court, and reprieved again to October 5, as their cases had not been determined. The supreme court refused them a new trial and they were committed to the state prison. The board held a special session September 15, and after a long hearing denied the petition.—*Hartford Times*, Oct. 5.

Flies Flee From Blue.

The Arabs have long known that flies fear or hate the color blue, and that is why the houses in many of their towns are calcimined in a light blue tint. Before the French Academy of Sciences recently, Messrs. Galaine and Houlbert described the results of four observations on the eyesight of flies. The only light that those insects see really well is white; their eyes do not see violet and indigo at all; the vibrations of the blue and green rays are disagreeable to them, and red has the effect of darkness. Yellow alone of all the colored rays is tolerated as well as white.

The solar spectrum, as seen by the eyes of a fly, begins at green and ends at bright orange. The practical conclusion to be drawn from this is that when a room has blue window pane, the flies therein become as inactive as if it were dark. If a slit of a blind be opened to let in a ray of white light, the flies will rush toward it and go out through the blind.

In Japan they hang curtains made of beads of blue glass mixed with tubes of painted bamboo at the entrances to butchers' and pastry cooks' shops. These let the air in, and the flies go out through the interstices between the beads, but do not re-enter.—*New York World*.

Useful Knowledge.

A traveler stood beside a river pilot, admiring the skill with which the vessel was guided through narrow channels and amid treacherous sandbanks and shoals.

"How long have you been piloting here?" at length he asked.

"Twenty-five years and more."

"Well, now, I suppose you know every bank, rock, shoal and dangerous place?"

"No, I don't know!" said the pilot, with a shake of his head.

"You don't!" ejaculated the passenger. "Then, are you fit for your work? What do you know?"

The pilot smiled. "I know where the deep water is," he said.

It is better to know the safe course than to be able to see all the dangers.—*Selected*.

LOS ANGELES.

Mr. Clinton Benedict, of Porterville, is the latest addition to our circle. Two hours after arriving, he landed a job with the Western Showcase and Fixture Co., as a cabinet maker, where he expects to remain until December. As this is his first visit to Los Angeles, he does not know what good times are ahead of him. He may change his mind about leaving before the time comes. He formerly attended the Schools at Berkeley, Council Bluffs and Winnipeg, and is studying poultry husbandry with a view to taking up the business. By the time this appears in print he may be a full fledged Frat, as he has already made application for membership.

Since sending in our previous article in which mention was made of the expected departure of Mrs. Thompson and Miss Vandegrift for St. Paul, we have learned that they have changed their plans, and will stay in Los Angeles. St. Paul has our sympathy.

Mrs. Henrietta Lefl is now able to sit up and we hope she will soon be seen among her friends once more.

Mrs. Max Cohn (nee Bertha Pike), of Graham Station, a suburb of Los Angeles, was struck by a speeding car on the Pacific Electric Railway, at noon, Saturday, September 22, and received injuries from which she died the same evening. She was on her way to the grocers, and it is supposed she failed to see the rapidly approaching car. She is survived by a husband and ten-year-old daughter; the latter will make her home with her maternal aunt, in San Diego.

The club meeting of September 29th was an unusually lively affair, about fifty people being present, almost all taking part in the entertainment which was under the direction of Tage E. Samuelson. Mrs. Cool, Miss Roy, and Mr. Deau won prizes for finding the most words tucked away in good old "Wilson," scoring 23 out of a possible 27. For giving the best list of feminine and masculine names with C-a-l-i-f-o-r-n-i-a for the first letters, Misses Tong and Childress and Mrs. McGowan were suitably rewarded for their nimble-wittedness.

But the game that made more fun than all the rest of the amusements put together, was "going to Paris." Ever get sore jaws from laughing over that? If you didn't, there's hope for you, for it's good enough to pass along. The leader seats the players in a circle, and standing where all can see him (or her) announces that everyone is to copy the last word of his sentences. The first is, "I am going to Paris to buy a pair of scissors." Then everyone cuts the air with digital shears, and after the ozone is well cut up, he makes his spiel with "fan" for their cue. After that, "rocking chair," "sewing machine" and "chewing gum" follow in rapid order until the most sedate and dignified are operating scissors, sewing machine and fan, riding the rocker and coining imaginary money for the makers of spearmint. This is guaranteed to "break the ice," anywhere.

Miss Helen Taylor was at the Club, after her recent trip to San Francisco and vicinity. She originally planned to return in two weeks, but the deaf showed her such a good time that she was glad to stay a week longer. She visited the School at Berkeley three times, met the Bay City deaf at their Club, and had a fine time generally.

Simon Himmelschein, one of our live wires, is filling a responsible position with the Home Telephone Company as trouble man. Lately he has been on night duty, but he expects to crowd the day man out soon, so his familiar face may once again be seen on the platform. Simon is a Frat from the ground up, and from his Stetson down.

NOVICE.

SUNDRY NOTES.

Miss Rena Hagelton, of New Utrecht, L. I., and Mary Addis, of Kingston, N. Y., visited the at Harrison, N. J., from September 6th to 9th. Mrs. Springer is a sister of Mary Addis. They had a pleasant time in Newark, and also made a trip to Coney Island.

Mrs. Wallace H. Kransse, of Northampton, Mass., died on the 24th of September.

A deaf and dumb resident of Harlem was brought before Magistrate Groehl a few evenings ago charged with disorderly conduct. The Magistrate was in a quandary as to an interpreter, for the man could not read or write, so he decided to postpone the case. The court attendant, however, following the ordinary routine of long practice, turned to the deaf and dumb prisoner and casually remarked: "your case is postponed you will get your 'hearing' to-morrow."

Most always grows on the north side of trees.

Diamonds are the same composition as black lead.

GALLAUDET COLLEGE.

Here is the Senior Class roll:—

Wallace Knowles Gibson..... Montana
Ethel Harold..... Oklahoma
Florence Eunice Harper..... Alabama
Philip Alfred Heupel..... N. Dakota
Mary Ellen Loveall..... Washington
William Ulen Lynch..... Dist. of Col.
Ethel Monica McAvoy..... Dist. of Col.
Regina Mary Olson..... Nebraska
Mabelle Irene Pearson..... Iowa
Ben Marshall Schowe..... Indiana
Ada Ruth Studt..... Colorado
Sara Alanson Tredwell..... New York
Effie Anna Wesen..... Nebraska
Kenneth Gordon Willman..... Washington
Caroline Wolf..... Missouri
Dorothy Mary Conover..... Wisconsin
Henry Stephen Austin..... Florida
Guilbert Campbell Braddock..... Colorado

This is the Junior Class roll—or class-biscuit, or class-muffin—anything to suit your taste:—

Ruth Cornelia Atkins..... Kansas
Sanford Robey Burns..... Illinois
Frank Henry Dohrman..... Kansas
Gerald Joseph Ferguson..... Kansas
Harry Wroth Hetzler..... Maryland
Maria Margaretha Kallenbach..... Wis.
Mabel Margaret Kan..... Oregon
Thomas Waston Osborne..... Tennessee
Claude Venable Ozier..... Tennessee
Forest Rundel Peard..... Illinois
Norbert Louis Pilliod..... Ohio
Harley Wright Smith..... Kansas
Mamie Louise Wallace..... Arkansas
Lula Watts..... W. Virginia
Jean Wolverton..... Kansas

Then there is the Sophomore Class.

Let's have another roll:—

Harry Vern Barnett..... Colorado
Herbert George Billigmeier..... North Dakota
George Henry Davies..... Pennsylvania
Wendell Haley..... North Dakota
Helen Hunt..... California
Florence Mary Logan..... Pennsylvania
Eunice Dorothea Post..... Minnesota
Emily Ellen Sterck..... Pennsylvania
Kelly Haywood Stevens..... Texas
Walter Putnam Valiant..... California
George Hall Whitworth..... California

The Freshman class consists of the following:—

Oscar Delafield Guire, Jr..... Cal.
Edward Wesley Harmon..... Penn.
Clyde Marion Houze..... Kansas
Helen Louise Jones..... Ohio
George Gordon Kannapel..... Kentucky
Theresa Anna Koenig..... Minnesota
Esther Elizabeth Laurer..... Colorado
Florence Waterman Lewis..... Conn.
Thomas Gordon Matthew..... Canada
Estella Elizabeth Maxwell..... Neb.
William May..... New York
Elizabeth Lucinda Moss..... Maryland
Lawrence August Paxton..... Kansas
Mary Ruth Pennell..... Pennsylvania
Lewis Irvin Peterson..... California
Frank Waldorf Rebel, Jr..... Iowa
Alex Borisov Rosen..... Minnesota
Matthew James Rozboril..... New York
Ollie Rena Sloan..... S. Dakota
Isabelle Toner..... Missouri
Ernest Hills Wadlin..... Maine
Carl Seaman Wear..... Missouri
Sophie Nicholson Boatwright..... S. Carolina
Joseph William Bouchard..... Conn.
Blume Cohen..... Massachusetts
Julia Alice Cole..... Montana
Charles Dobbins..... New Jersey
Doris Emma Francis..... N. Dakota
Robert Henry Frewing..... Colorado

If you are interested, here are the Preparatory students:—

James Calhoun..... N. Carolina
Glen Clark..... N. Dakota
George Dewey Coats..... Arkansas
Dewey Deer..... Washington
William Eskew..... Illinois
Archie Hartin..... S. Carolina
Wesley Lauritsen..... Minnesota
Edwin McNeal..... Washington
Earl Maczkowski..... Michigan
John Marty..... Iowa
Carl Pridmore..... S. Carolina
Oscar Sanders..... Washington
Arthur Shaw..... Tennessee
George Stewart..... Kansas
Maurice Weiner..... Minnesota
Boyd Hume..... Mississippi

Miss Charlotte R. Weiss has taken the place of Rev. Bryant, the veteran as instructor of drawing and art.

Prof. A. G. Draper is still enjoying his leave of absence.

The Normal Department has three students this year: Miss Dorothy Long, of Council Bluffs, Iowa, daughter of the renowned J. Schuyler Long, '89; Miss Miriam Michaels, of Little Rock, Arkansas, daughter of the also renowned Rev. J. W. Michaels; and Miss Helen Bailey, a relative, 'tis said, of Bailey, '11. A fourth Normal student has been listed by the Fac.—one S. T. Anderson of somewhere—but he is at present moment more invisible than the dove of peace on an European battlefield.

Now for the list of those that are not here. Messrs. Ray and Arthur Wenger, of Senior Class, have started work on a farm of their own. Mr. Willie H. Townsend, of the same bunch, has settled down in Akron, Ohio, with the former Miss Alice Hardin, of last year's Preparatory Class, as his wife. (Congratulations to the happy couple!)

Of the Sophomore Class, Messrs. Capps, Hertzmann, and Schlenker are to all appearances gone, and so are Misses Connaroe and Myers.

Having lost three men students, the Senior class is attempting to offset the loss by the gain of one Co-ed in the person of Mabelle Pearson ("Queen Mab") ex-'17. The

Junior class is richer to the extent of three Co-eds: Miss Ruth Atkins, ex-'18; Miss Lulu Watts, ex-'18; and Miss Jean Wolverton. The Sophomore class, also, has cashed in a good amount of femininity, consisting of Miss Helen Hunt, Miss Florence Logan, and Miss Eunice Post, ex-'19.

There are no young ladies in the Preparatory Class just now. There will be all you want of them as soon as the new girls dormitory is put in readiness for their reception.

The Buff and Blue is getting out this month a memorial issue in honor of the late Dr. Gallaudet.

The first Sunday services in the chapel were devoted to the memory of Dr. Gallaudet. President Hall officiated at the solemnities of the afternoon service.

Rev. Bryant delivered an eulogy of Dr. Gallaudet, as a representative of the Alumni of the College; Dr. Ely followed up in behalf of the Faculty; and Mr. Schowe, '18, presented his tribute as an undergraduate to the memory of the deceased.

The institution is in receipt of the printing outfit secured in the last Congressional appropriation. It consists of one linotype, cylinder press, job press, stichter, and new type and accessories. The Faculty offers a course of instruction in printing to students with qualification.

OUR LITTLE "WHO'S WHICH?"

Gibson, '18, is president of the G. C. A. A.

Heupel, '18, is president of the Lit. Society.

The two Head-Seniorships fell into the unmerciful hands of Mr. Willman and Miss Tredwell.

Austin, '18, is president of the Reading Room Club.

The Saturday Night Dramatic Club will have to satisfy itself somehow with the services of Braddock, '18, as president.

Schowe, '18, is Literary Editor of the *Buff and Blue*, President of his class, and a few other things.

Heupel, '18, is again Managing Editor of the above (of the *Buff and Blue*, not of Schowe), and also—but don't let us try to recollect all the jobs he is doing this year.

To be continued next week.

We were astonished to hear that during the vacation Stevens, '20, had got married. Steve was even more surprised, for he doesn't recollect ever having done such a thing. He wants us just to wait till he gets hold of the fellow who rang the false alarm.

Miss Post, '20, was too busy to attend college last year, having been engaged in a series of operations that prevented her mingling with us. Now that the final operation is over and the doctor has allowed her to come back to us, we rejoice.

Life on a Submarine.

Speaking of life on a submarine, one of Uncle Sam's naval officers, stationed on one of these under-sea terrors, says:

"Every minute the men are in the submarine means the risk of pneumonia and tuberculosis."

"The entire inside of the boat sweats like a pitcher of ice water on a hot day. Before we are on it three hours our clothes are soaked; they stay that way. We have absolutely no heat, which means that the boat is the temperature of the outside air. Sometimes we nearly freeze."

The doctors say that the men on a submarine never sleep; they merely become unconscious for brief intervals. The air, the odors from the machinery, the constant vibration, and the intense strain under which you labor makes sleep an impossibility.

"In a storm, when we have to seal up, the air gets worse than anything you can imagine."

"There are eighteen men and two officers in one of our boats, and at any moment any one of the twenty may cause the death of all the rest."

"There is no room for mistakes. The space in which the men live is fifty feet long and about ten feet wide. I can stand upright if I pick my place, but most of the time my shoulders are bent. There are no bunkers; we all spread our mattresses on an iron deck. The dining room consists of four electric hot plates."

Nothing in the nature of a spark is allowed below decks, but we can heat up coffee on the hot plates and occasionally fry things. We can't smoke, and the vibration of the engines make it impossible to read or even play cards so when we are out of work there's nothing for us to do but to sit on the floor and look at each other.—*Pittsburg Dispatch*.

Liquid air is so cold it freezes mercury solid and forms ice over a gas flame.

"Crescent" means growing, and the moon is so called only because it seems to be growing larger.

Freezing water expands with force enough to break a steel bomb shell.

An eavesdropper is one who used to be hung, under the water-spout for listening at keyholes?

THE LITTLE HERO OF HAARLEM.

Long, long ago there lived in Haarlem, one of the cities of the Netherlands, a brave little boy named Peter. His father was a "sluicer"—that is, a man whose business it is to open and close the sluice gates that are put across the canals to keep back the water. When more water is wanted the sluicer raises the gates and lets the water in; and then at night the gates are carefully closed, for the Netherlands are lower than the sea level and the waters are kept from flooding the land by means of strong dikes.

One autumn day Peter's mother said to him: "Take these cakes, which I have just baked, to the poor old blind man who lives across the dike; and make haste, for you will have just time to go and return before the sun has set."

Peter whistled a merry tune as he trudged along, his wooden shoes clacking on the stone as he clattered down the road. The old man was glad to have a visit from his little friend, and he thanked Peter for the cakes. Then Peter said good by and hurried toward home. As he walked along he saw near the edge of the dike some blue flowers which he picked for his mother. Then, looking up, he noticed that the sun was setting. "I must hurry home, for my mother will be worried," he said. So he walked faster and faster, when suddenly he stopped as he heard a little trickling sound: "Trickle, trickle, trickle." He looked up, and then grew pale with terror, for there, pushing its way through a tiny hole, was a stream of water.

A "leak in the dike!" he shouted and, dropping his flowers, climbed quickly up the steep bank. "Come, help! A leak in the dike!" But there was no one near to hear him. Peter understood the danger at a glance. Soon that small hole would become a large one as the water broke through it, and the small stream would become a mighty flood destroying all the land.

Quick as a flash the boy threw himself on the ground and placed his finger in the tiny hole. The water was forced back and Peter said in delighted: "The angry waters shall not flood Haarlem while I am here to help!"

Now this was all well for a time, but the dark night soon settled down upon Peter and he suffered with cold and fear. His hand and arm grew numb, and then his whole body was filled with pain; but he bravely held on. "Come, help, Come!" he shouted again and again, but no one came. The tears rolled down his cheeks, but still the brave little lad held on. "Will no one come? Mother! Mother!" he cried; and he thought of mother and father and his brothers and sisters, snug and safe, asleep in their beds at home. "What would happen to them, and to all in Haarlem, if I should give up?" he said. "No, no, I must stay here and hold back that angry sea." And so he endured the pricking pain of the numbness all through the cold dark night.

In the early morning a workman heard groans coming from beyond the dike and saw a small boy lying on the ground, crying out with pain. "In the name of wonder, boy," he shouted, "what are you doing there?"

"I am keeping the water back," answered Peter. "Oh, tell them to come and help me!"

The workman called to some friends and they came running up the embankment and lifted the brave little boy in their arms. Then they carefully mended the hole and carried the little lad to his home.

All this time Peter's mother had been anxious about him. At tea time she stood in the doorway and watched the road for some minutes. "I never knew him to stay away without my leave," she said. And later, when they all made ready for bed, she looked out again into the darkness. "It is not like my Peter; I always trust him, but to-night he must have stayed with his old blind friend. I must speak to him about it in the morning."

In the early morning, when she opened the shutters and stepped to the house door, she again thought of Peter. "I wonder why he did not come home last night," she said. And then, against the rising sun she saw a black shadow coming toward her, and a limp little form which was carried between two strong men. She was so frightened she cried out, and the father, hearing her cry, came running to the door and looked at the silent procession coming down the road.

When the men saw the anxious parents they said: "Your brave little lad has saved our land. Give thanks to the good God who has spared his life!"

Then Peter was carried into the house, and when he was rested he told them the whole story of the leak in the dike. And, though they tell tales of many valiant heroes who fought and died for the Netherlands, there is no story which the children enjoy hearing so much as this one of the little hero of Haarlem.—*Georgene Faulkner*.

Wireless telegraphy and light travel at the same speed and on the same waves.

NEW YORK.

News items for this column should be sent direct to the DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL, Station M, New York.

After a recess of three months, the members of the Alphabet A. C. opened the season with a regular meeting on Wednesday, October 4th. All the former members were present and seven new members were added to the club's roster.

Much business was discussed and plans are being arranged for a year of activities by its members.

An affair will be held later, and so watch for the big night, as those who attended last year's affair still bear in mind the good time that was had. Particulars will be given later.

The Boys' Club House, which houses the Alphabet A. C., has been enlarged by the addition of another building with the latest improvements, an auditorium, gymnasium, stage, playing organ, large library and reading room, wrestling room, running track, swimming pool, bowling alleys and other things.

Those wishing to join the club can apply to Mr. Nathan Schwartz, Secretary, 633 East 11th Street, New York City, and will be furnished with particulars.

The Basket Ball team, which made a good showing last year, is being reconstructed and this year will find many new faces in the line-up. The team will be ready to meet all comers in a few weeks, and all clubs desiring to engage in games will please write to Mr. Jack Eberhardt, Manager, 83 Pennsylvania Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Miss Annie C. Kugeler and Mr. Christian E. Vernon took the Red Bank Boat to Highlands, N. J. Arriving below the twin lights which flash their signals fifty miles out to sea, the party made a bee line for Mrs. May Moran's and there met Mr. William E. Smith, and he led the party by the long and dried up mountain torrent paths up and past the twin lights and down to his home at the bottom. Perspiring and out of breath and gasping for the "second wind," after "rest a bit," one managed to climb to the top, but the climb down was not much better, excepting that it was easier to fall.

In the evening, the party watched the flashes of the guns and then watched for the air claps as the detonation of the big guns, reached them. First, there was a flashlight, springing from the top of the wooded mountain, followed a second or two by the exploding air. There was also flashlight signalling practice. Chris intended, staying only three days, but the temptation to stay longer overcame him. He helped Mr. Smith saw down three trees and split them into firewood, while Annie helped at the preserves. Mrs. Smith has 150 jars packed, and is still unfinished and is going to preserve all she can. Chris and Annie came home by way of the trolley, although they had return tickets for the boat.

The fine weather and early auto riding from the Smith place to the trolley cars tempted them to take a long ride. They passed through, Stone Church, Campbell's Junction, Keansburg, Keyport, Lawrence Harbor, South Amboy, Seewagen and on to Newark and to Jersey City, where they visited the Schlipps and Wentzes, and arrived at their homes in the evening at 10 P. M., having started from Highlands at 7 A. M. It was a glorious ride through country from Highlands to South Amboy, therefore it was mostly tin-can lots, smoky factories and shanties muddy swamps to Elizabeth, and then some towns, 65 cents in 5 cents fares by trolley, while by boat it was only 35 cents, but it was worth more to ride by the trolley, and such a glorious and cool autumn day too. There were only three changes of cars, Campbells Junction, South Amboy, Newark and Jersey City.

Miss May Boland, a pupil of the Fordham School, has solved the puzzle printed in the Ohio column two weeks ago. The figures added up and across and diagonally make the sum 15.

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On September 30th, Bernard Lovitch celebrated the Anniversary of his birth with a party which had fifty guests, including parents and relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Irving Lovitch received merited praise for the artistic design of the decorations, made with patriotic bunting and Japanese lanterns, etc. A big home-made cake was relished, along with a feast of cereals and dessert. The happy affair ended at midnight. The names of those present could not be obtained.

CHICAGO.

News items for this column should be sent to Jesse A. Waterman, 1639 Lawrence Avenue, Chicago, Ill.

The calendar of our Savior Lutheran Deaf-Mute Church, 2129 Crystal Street announces October 31 as Reformation Day. At present their regular Sunday services are held at 10:30 in the morning, and after November 1st will change to three o'clock in the afternoon. Rev. N. P. Uhlig, pastor, extends an invitation to all the deaf of Chicago to attend.

The members of the Literary Circle, an auxiliary of the Pas-a-Pas Club, are beginning to realize that the present club room is too small to accommodate the constantly growing attendance. They are planning to engage larger quarters. Prof. Albert Berg, of Indianapolis, was dubbed the star speaker at its recent literary meeting, his magnetism for drawing uninterrupted attention is still far from being diminished. He was followed by Dr. Dougherty and Richard L. H. Long, who made tributary remarks to the late Dr. Galladue. Many who had just learned the news of this great educator's death were deeply grieved. There was not a single deaf person who did not know about Dr. Edward M. Galladue.

The officers of the circle are supposed to serve only six months, but the members insisted they remain in the saddle until January. This was accomplished by an unanimous vote. Now Mrs. Charles Boss, the president, is compelled to keep in the limelight.

The League of the Hard Hearing has been obliged, for some unexplained reason, to dispense with its much advertised field secretary, whose duty was to secure jobs for the unemployed "orally-taught" members. A recent meeting of its board of directors was called and the members have ceased attendance at its club room. They had a list of available jobs, but it appears that none have taken advantage of the generous offer. This information was furnished to me by a member of the league and an enthusiastic subscriber of the JOURNAL.

My field is Chicago. Religious, fraternal, or social affiliations do not interfere with my aim to give all square deal. News items or reports are written for what they are worth. There is no petty spite—no desire to belittle anybody. There is no discrimination as to whether the person is a subscriber or not. If a person is affected because news is truthfully reported, there are no apologies. Each church mission—each society—each individual, is given the same undiluted impartiality. Bear this fact in mind and then we can all get down to brass tacks.

If the Catholic Ephpheta Mission nas interesting news, I am very eager to have all I can get. The Lutheran, Episcopal, Methodist, Hebrew, or any other mission will find same welcome invitation. The Frats, Knights, member of the Pas-a-Pas or Silent Athletic Club, will find my door wide open. Let there be no misgiving—no misunderstandings as to my attitude to all. I am giving out news items as they come to me from reliable sources and from what I gain from observation or personal interviews. To everybody—to church mission—to every fraternal or social organization—come out and bring or send your bit of items to the Chicago News Bureau of the JOURNAL, 1629 Lawrence Avenue, and rest assured of my candid attention. Come now, be a patriot! Be one of the fair-minded crowd and make this Chicago column sparkle with interesting news. Thanks, ever so much, for your attention!

Charles Hayford, who has a home in Lyons, Ill., and for the past several years in the carpentering business on his own hook, has accepted a lucrative position in the Auto Mfg. Co., at Argo, Ill.

The home of Rev. and Mrs. Nathaniel P. Uhlig was blessed by the arrival of a baby boy, on the morning of September 17th. They have four other children—two boys and two girls. Mrs. Uhlig's mother arrived from Detroit, Mich., to take care of the children.

Fred Schmidt is confined in the Cook County Hospital. Ten days ago he suffered a stroke of paralysis. Rev. N. P. Uhlig, pastor of Our Savior Lutheran Church, makes regular visits to all hospitals wherever he finds a sick member of the church.

Miss Edith Kunkel, recently of Michigan City, Ind., has secured a position with the Automatic Electric Co. She plans to remain in Chicago permanently.

Rev. George Flick announces that redoubled efforts will be made to lift the present mortgage on the All Angels' Church building, by the coming bazaar Friday and Saturday, November 23 and 24. The Woman's Guild solicits fancy work from member and appeals to all friends of the parish house to make liberal contributions towards the mortgage fund. Mrs. Dougherty, Mrs. King, Mrs. Craig, Mrs. Witte, Mrs. Flick, Miss McKee and others, are taking an active part in the project.

Miss Etta Dillon was tendered a surprise party by her numerous friends Thursday evening, October 4th, in the rooms of the All Angels' Parish hall. The occasion, according to an intimate friend, was her birthday anniversary. When pressed for the lady's exact age the reporter was given the stony stare. However, the party (numbering over twenty), fêted, lionized and complimented Miss Dillon, wishing her many happy returns of the day. The name of the lucky gentleman who sprinkled the greatest number of bouquets over this fair lady was suppressed.

Just to relieve the tension, permit me to give the following joke—hash from a funeral director magazine: Old lady—(watching moving-picture photographer taking a street scene): "I must be getting deaf. That man's grinding his hand organ, and I can't hear a note."

Anton Schroeder, of St. Paul, Minn., dropped in the All Angels' Parish house Wednesday evening, October 3d, for an evening's chat with old and new acquaintances. He was on his way to New Britain, Ct., where he has a business deal with the Stanley Steel Co., in connection with some patents which Mr. Schroeder recently received from the government. He proposes to pay Editor Hodgson, Dr. Fox, John F. O'Brien, and others in New York City a visit. Mr. Schroeder is a member of the N. A. D. Deaf-Epee Memorial Fund committee. While in Chicago he spoke of the Charles Thompson Memorial club house of St. Paul which has already attracted nation-wide attention, and expressed a wish that the Chicago deaf may have a similar club house.

The Automatic Electric Co. has a number of deaf employees of both sexes in the several departments. Judging from the cordial treatment extended to the deaf, it appears that the general foreman has begun to like their work and may look with favor on future applications.

Mrs. Clarence Hayman, of Arlington Heights, Ill., spent a day with Mrs. N. P. Uhlig of this city, and extended congratulations over the recent birth of a boy by bringing a chicken. Later Mrs. Hayman spent several days on her father's farm gathering in grapes. This being canning season, the Hayman family will have a large stock of jellies for the winter months.

Peter Heinz, an old Chicago boy, formerly with the Automatic Electric Company, later with a switch board company in Dayton, Ohio, is now in Indianapolis, Ind., where his friends hope he has got something better and will stick.

Probably due to the war when so many of their help have gone to the front, the Boston Department Store has employed over twelve young deaf women in its mail-order department. They are apparently giving satisfaction. The Fair also has a number of our deaf people in their employ. Let all deaf men and women make a state labor bureau unnecessary, by tackling jobs through their own efforts. Recognition of their usefulness is certain to come in due time.

Florian Cleys, whose mother has just disposed of Wilson Beach to the city, is visiting for several weeks in Wisconsin.

Mrs. Alice Perkins, who recently resigned from the teaching staff of the Michigan School at Flint, spent a few days in Chicago, enroute to Milwaukee, Wis., where she will spend a couple of weeks with her son and family.

Keep these coming events fresh in mind: The Pas-a-Pas Club dance at Wabansia Hall, Saturday evening, October 13th; the Silent Athletic Club at Colonial Hall, Saturday evening, November 17th; and the Home Fund at Colonial Hall, Wednesday evening, November 28th. These three dances are all perfectly respectable. Patronize all if you can. It will ease your conscience.

The Epworth League of the Methodist Mission gave a social in the Methodist block, this Saturday evening, October 9th, where speeches galore kept everybody wide-awake, followed by the usual program of refreshments, etc. Sidney Howard and Franklin Martin furnished the evening's magnetism.

That young man of Detroit, who spurred three "C" Michigan correspondents to write about our "prominent man as being so affable and kind that he shakes hands with the rich and poor alike," had better make a dash for the woods. Our Chicago man is on the war-path. He doesn't relish the idea of being made a flattered hero. The young chap must curtail the quantity of that burning fluid or he might overdo the "handshaking" himself.

Edgar Bloom, a traveling salesman, landed in Chicago from St. Louis, Mo., took a fleeting glimpse of our club activities and departed for "somewhere" in Ohio, presumably Akron, and later will arrive in old New York City.

Anton Schroeder has a pair of black shoe-strings that he bought several months ago at 25 cents a pair. He doesn't know whether it is made of cotton, hemp of leather, but he does know that it outlasts the five-cent variety, and even the shoes. When it is tied it stops tied. Dr. Geo. Dougherty, a chemist; Prof. Albert Berg, a full-fledged botanist; Ralph Decker, an organic chemist and ladies' hat maker;

Edward Rowse, a dyed-in-the wool; Dr. J. K. Watson, a big "little-man," who for thirty-five years held a vise-like grip on his post-office job; and several other learned, half-witted, and near-wise gentlemen, were grouped around inspecting Mr. Schroeder's magic, everlasting shoe-string. Prof. Berg suggested that since Rev. Geo. Flick will be called upon to officiate at a ceremony within the very near future (name of bride and groom withheld) this wonderful shoe string might make a strong matrimonial knot. Present day Sherlock Holmes to his assistant: "What do you make of this, Dr. (J. K.) Watson?" Enuf sed.

Sidney Howard's two nephews started recently for Berrien Springs, Mich., where they will attend college. Howard doesn't know whether it is a military, agricultural, or what-you-call it college. Nevertheless he's proud of the boys.

Miss Josephine Dunn believes in presistency. She is boosting the three day bazaar of the Ephpheta Mission, for Thursday, Friday and Saturday, October 25, 26 and 27th very welcome!

Arthur Cornwall is exhibiting a patriotic feeling over the news that his favorite nephew has been promoted in the United States army.

Herbert Kaufman wants his friends to know that he has secured an excellent job in the printing department of the Libby Packing Co., in the stock yards district.

The League of Hard of Hearing has been soliciting life memberships at \$1000 per. The preference among the wealthy set seems to be for liberty bonds.

The members of the Silent Athletic Club are giving an entertainment and reception this Saturday evening, October 6th, in celebration of their sixth anniversary of fruitful existence. Not being invited, I regret my inability to report the glorious event. Wednesday afternoon, fire broke out in the building where the quarters of the club are located. Considerable damage was wrought to other parts of the building. The S. A. rooms suffered no inconvenience except from smoke. Since the club's property is protected by fire-insurance "they should worry." No, on with the grand entertainment, boys!

Florian Cleys, George Petrimoulx, Fred Young and Rall Rountree, desire to go on record as members of the New England Mutual Life Insurance Co. The man who engineered the deal for all was Prof. Albert Berg of Indianapolis, Ind. In spite of the war and the increased cost of practically everything, Mr. Berg says he wrote more insurance this year than last summer.

St. Louis Briefs

The friends of the Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Cloud conspired to tender them a surprise party at their residence on the evening of October 4th, the occasion being the twenty-fifth anniversary of their wedding. The evening was marked by a succession of surprises. The first was mutual, and happened when Dr. Cloud, going out to post some letters, surprised the main body of surprisers entrenched in the vicinity of the mail box awaiting re-enforcements, preparatory to making a surprise attack on the paragon. After all the guests had arrived, Mr. J. H. Burgher made a felicitous speech at the conclusion of which Mrs. Burgher presented to Dr. and Mrs. Cloud a silver-lined box containing a number of congratulatory messages from absent friends and a goodly silver offering from friends both present and absent. Others had sent their messages and gifts direct to the house. Refreshments in abundance, also provided by the visitors, were served, and everything passed off as pleasantly as the wedding a quarter of a century ago.

Among the guests present were Mr. and Mrs. Burgher, Mr. and Miss Steidemann, Mr. and Mrs. Stumpe, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Arnot, Mr. and Mrs. Froning, Mr. and Mrs. Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. Brockmann, Mr. and Mrs. Turecek, Mr. and Mrs. Chenery, Mr. and Mrs. Palecke, Mr. and Mrs. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Spiegel, Mr. and Mrs. Glascock, Mr. and Mrs. Berwin, Mr. and Mrs. Harden, Mr. and Mrs. Rodenberger, Mr. and Mrs. Wess, Mr. and Mrs. Bayon, Mr. and Mrs. Merrell, Mr. and Mrs. Temple, Mrs. Lambe, Mrs. Stack, Misses Russell, Jackson, Peltzold, Kygen, Keller, Otten, Frey, Klug, Dillon, Wilson, Knichel, Krueger, Lythgoe, Barnicle, Mr. and Mrs. Kilpatrick, Messrs. Schaub, Lynch, Moegle, Roeder, and Bremer.

Among those who sent their congratulations and gifts but were not present, are the following: The members of the Mid-West Branch of the Galladue Alumni Association, Miss A. M. Roper, Mr. and Mrs. W. Stafford, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Phelps, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Rother, Hon. H. W. Rother, Mrs. O. C. Blankenship, Dr. and Mrs. G. T. Dougherty, Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Long, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Howard, Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Tracy, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. C. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Wash-

ington Barrows, Mr. and Mrs. F. Hyman, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Frank, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Kingon, Mr. S. Frankenheim, Mr. A. L. Pach, Mr. and Mrs. Anton Schroeder, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Long, Mr. and Mrs. H. Gross, Mr. and Mrs. Fromanack, Mrs. Style, Mrs. H. R. Wilson, Miss Baggerman, Miss Susman, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Heber, Mr. Rowse, Miss Vina Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. Owen, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Cleary, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Hodgman, Mr. Reese Applegate and others. Nine of the guests of evening attended the wedding twenty-five years ago.

PHILADELPHIA.

News items for this column should be sent to James S. Reider, 1638 North Dove Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

The death of Dr. Galladue is felt keenly by all who knew him in this locality.

It is said at Hartford, last July, Dr. Crouter paid his respects to Dr. Galladue and extended a personal invitation to him to attend the centenary celebration of the Pennsylvania Institution for the Deaf and Dumb in 1920, and the Doctor responded in his usual happy way that he would be there. He will be sadly missed now.

The Board of Managers of Pennsylvania Society for the Advancement of the Deaf will hold an adjourned meeting, at 1538 North Dover Street, on Saturday evening, October 27th.

Mr. Wright Garlic, a deaf man, was summoned as jurymen in the Common Pleas Court, No. 2, on October 1st, but no doubt he was excused.

Mr. William H. Lipsett read service to the deaf in Norristown on Sunday evening last.

Mr. Ashland D. Martin, of Akron, Ohio, appeared before the Clero Literary Association in All Souls' Parish House to give a talk, last Thursday evening, September 27th. He represents the Employment Bureau for the Deaf of the Good-year Rubber Tire Company, and explained very fully the inducements which his company offers to deaf persons who are in need of employment, or who wish to improve their opportunities. Much interest was shown in what he had to say.

Nearly or about two hundred deaf persons attended the "picnic under electric light," at All Souls' Parish House, last Saturday evening, September 29th. It was in charge of a committee headed by Mr. Irby H. Marchman, who seemed tickled by the large attendance. Games and dancing were indulged in during the evening and altogether a very pleasant evening was passed. Some prizes were awarded in contests, and tempting looking cakes were chanced off, Mr. Thomas Breen taking the best one. The price of admission included a treat to coffee and a sandwich that were appetizing and enjoyed. The proceeds of this entertainment were for the 1918 (Frat) convention fund. The use of the Parish House on this occasion, as several previous ones, was granted gratuitously. As All Souls' share in boosting the convention fund, the courtesy will be extended to similar events for the benefit of the fund. The next event will be a Hallowe'en carnival on November 10th.

Mr. Charles S. Yoder, who served as Sexton of All Souls' Church for the Deaf for the past two years or so, recently resigned the position to resume work in the factory where he was formerly employed, which offers him better pay. He did his work so well and faithfully that All Souls' is sorry to lose his services and wishes him good luck. Mr. Henry P. Friemel has since been appointed Sexton, and began his duties on October 1st. His deaf sister will keep house for him for the present and assist some in other ways.

Mr. August Heckman and Miss Ida Dorothy Postell were married, on Wednesday afternoon, September 25th, at the residence of the Rev. C. O. Dantzer, who performed the ceremony.

Mrs. J. Brutsche and son, John, visited relatives in Brooklyn, N. Y., a week ago, and report a most enjoyable time.

Father Butler, of St. Louis, Mo., preached before St. Joseph's Catholic Mission to the Deaf, at the Church of the Gesù, 18th and Stiles Streets, last Sunday afternoon, September 30th.

Peter McCullough has left for Akron, Ohio, to work for the Good-year Rubber Tire Company. He was a tailor.

The Ladies' Committee of the Convention Local Committee, under the leadership of Mrs. Elmer E. Scott, gave a card party at the home of Mr. John A. Roach on Friday evening, September 21st. It was a pleasant affair.

The Philadelphia Local Branch met at All Souls' Parish House on Saturday evening, October 6th.

Dr. Crouter continues to improve, though slowly.

Mr. Harry E. Stevens' present hobby is making lantern-slides, and the results of his work may be seen at All Souls' Parish House on October 18th.

OHIO.

[News items for this column may be sent to our Ohio News Bureau, care of Mr. A. B. Greener, 998 Franklin Ave., Columbus, O.]

October 6, 1917—Mr. B. F. Galloway, of Billings, Missouri, though he has reached fourscore years and one, still is able to labor on his little farm and raise good crops. Last year the elements were against him, but this year he glories on the big harvest of good things. His ears of corn are a foot long, with twenty-two rows of grain on most of them, a fine crop of potatoes, but they bring him only eighty cents a bushel. We would like them here at that price, which is up to \$1.40 to \$1.50 and still going up. Apples, only twenty five cents a bushel, while here for nice ones they bring or the consumer has to pay from \$2 to \$2.50 a bushel. Mr. Galloway entered the school here in 1851 at the age of fifteen, and attended seven years. He was twice married. His second wife was Mrs. Melia Green. We do not recall her maiden name. There are very few of the boys and girls living now who attended school with Mr. Galloway.

Miss Fannie Segraves, who attended school here some fifteen years ago, and has been living in Indiana most of the time since then, the last place Logansport, called upon old friends here the first of the week. She has secured work in the city's latest big hotel, the Deshler, at High and Broad Streets, and will be in charge of the glassware, so she informed us.

Through the Colonial Theatre management, the folks of the school were generously invited to witness the movie, "Jack and the Bean Stalk," Wednesday forenoon. The exhibition was thoroughly enjoyed, and those who saw it feel grateful to the manager for the treat.

Though the season for roses is late, yet the class and office rooms were twice treated during the week with the delicate blooms. Of course they come from the school's greenhouse.

The public schools and institutions of the city are worrying over the coal shortage. The coal bins of most of the latter are empty. There is little coal in the city, as nearly all of it is going up the lakes to meet the demands of factories up in the Northwest working for the Government, doing their bit for Democracy of the whole world. Unless a pinch comes closing down public heating companies, our school will not suffer for want of the black diamonds, as its heat is furnished by the hot water system from one of the Columbus Companies.

The Cottage Fund for the Home took a leap during the vacation and added about three hundred forty seven dollars. The total amount now is \$3782.71. The Allied Societies of the Deaf of Cleveland on Labor Day held a picnic at the home and grounds of Mr. and Mrs. Jerrell and Mr. and Mrs. Maynard, living one house and one yard. The affair was in charge of a committee, consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Knoelle, Mr. and Mrs. Munger, Mr. and Mrs. Friedman, Mr. and Mrs. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Maynard, Mr. and Mrs. Jerrell, Mr. and Mrs. Dobe, Mr. and Mrs. Nellie, Mrs. Allabough, Miss Froelich and Miss Seaman.

Every one of the committee set to work with a will, and through raffles, guessing contests, sales, managed to swell the receipts up to the one hundred and thirty-five dollar mark, which sum was duly sent down to the treasurer.

Superintendent and Mrs. Jones, with Mr. and Mrs. Speuer, went over to Indianapolis yesterday, via auto, to look in upon Mr. Spencer, who was married to Miss Marjorie Jones last July. He is training in the officers camp over there.

And now Elasco Barcham is the owner of a Ford, which he had been waiting for several months.

The Clonian Society met last Saturday evening, and chose new officers for the first half of the school year, and subscribed for a number of newspapers and magazines. We will give the names of officers elected next week.

The attendance at the school has gone up to four hundred and sixty-seven at this writing.

A. B. G.

Every old woman knows a lot of sensible things that are not to be found in books.

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FANWOOD.

The first great opening meeting of the Fanwood Literary Association for the new term resulted in a memorable affair, the evening of Saturday, October 6th. The chapel presented an unusual large attendance of pupils. President Fox addressed the gathering, but not with that customary happy welcome that we have known so well. He was sad and all present were sad. All understood, feelings were intermingled, the issue sadder than we can express. The great man who inspired us; our friend, our Counselor, for the first time was absent. Not a few were of dimmed eye, and strong emotion prompted a higher feeling. All rose silently for one minute, and with bowed heads an affectionate tribute was paid to the memory of him whom all loved, Enoch Henry Currier.

The president then called for the report of the Secretary, but as the Association has lost by resignation its secretary, the first vice-president moved that the report be excused, and that a new secretary be elected. The election of officers was conducted by six volunteers of the advanced grades. The nominees read:

COUNSELOR
The Principal
FOR PRESIDENT
Thomas Francis Fox, M. A., Litt. D.
FOR FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT
Jean Paul Gruet
FOR SECOND VICE-PRESIDENT
Reuben Pois
FOR SECRETARY
Sarah Elowitz
FOR TREASURER
Prudence R. Burchard
FOR DIRECTORS
William G. Jones, M. A.
Myra L. Barrager
Harriett C. Hall
Amelia E. Berry
Edward S. Burdick
Ignatius Bjorlee, M. A.
Elwood Stevenson

By a majority vote of fifty-five a straight ticket was passed. The president and first vice-president unanimously; the second vice-president and secretary by majority of vote, the treasurer and executive committee unanimously. Cadet Captain August Herdfelder came nearest wrestling the honor of being nominated second vice-president, while Miss Rebecca Champagne for a brief time threatened the popularity of the nominee for secretary.

Upon invitation of President Fox, the newly elected officers mounted the rostrum and were given resounding applause for brief addresses of thanks for the honor, and in expressing a hope of watching the Association's continued brilliant literary achievements, voiced in a prediction that such would be even greater this year. One of the finest expressions was voiced by Prof. Bjorlee, whose interest in the Literary Association has been more than once demonstrated, and to whom the Association is greatly indebted for past success. The Counselor was represented by Major Van Tassell, who also briefly commemorated the event. The evening was given over to various other addresses, a few suggestions and a timely criticism which were altogether interesting and afforded an evening of beneficial results.

Under the excellent guidance of Major Van Tassell the older Cadet Officer members of the Protean Society started a new year of activities, the occasion being the first annual gathering and reorganization of the Society. It was held on the evening of Monday in the conspicuous and neatly decorated quarters that has always represented the best of the cadet body. The feature event of the night's gathering was a report of the last meeting; an election of officers and an election of probationers. Six new probationers were considered possible new members, and upon motion of those assembled it was moved that they be put on trial. This honor was conferred upon Cadet Lieutenants James McVernon, Aurelio Ruggerio, Cadet First Sergeants, Benj. Cohen and Silvio Salerno, Cadet Senior Color Sergeant Frederick Parker, and Cadet Band Sergeant Allen Cattanauch.

It was voted that Major Van Tassell be the acting Counselor and Treasurer in place of the Principal for the present. Cadet Captain J. P. Gruet was unanimously elected President; Cadet Captain A. P. Herdfelder, Vice-President; Cadet First Lieut. J. N. Orman, Secretary; Cadet Captain R. Pois, Librarian; and active members, Cadet Adjutant R. Parsons and Cadet Chief Musician M. D. Ciavolino. Titles of Honorary membership were sent to Messrs. Sandy J. Quinta, John Livingston, Max Cohen, John Stafford and Moses Schnapp, and their names listed on the Society's Honorary membership roster. A move to draw up a resolution in honor of our deceased Principal was acted upon for later presentation.

A historical treatise of the Society will be offered the JOURNAL for publication on a later date.

The boys' game clubs are in full motion these evenings after supper. Close contests usually mark the result of each play.

In a maze of action, which characterizes every great printing concern, Cadet Jacob Seltzer and three of his cadet pals journeyed over to the Star Publishing Company at New York City Hall, where with awed eye and mute acquisition they beheld the wonders of a great printing plant. The boys went from room to room, where they studied the process of the publishing of an ever increasing big daily. From the rattle of the type-writer, to the linotype department, to the casting department, and to the din of the great presses.

Perhaps in a weird chamber of mystic symbols; perhaps in a beautiful young lady's drawing room; or, last of all, perhaps in a Girl Scout's Den, who knows among us boys, who politely understand so little. Anyway, it was on the evening of October 2d, and the rumor has it as being the first opening and regular meeting of the girl officers' Adrastian Society, at which they elected officers and nominated new members. Next morning it was obvious from the number of smiling faces that the meeting had been—ah yes, a most cheerful one, sure enough—minus any disagreeable short comings. Inquisitiveness when within bounds has always brought us success, so when gallantly presenting our card we were given by the secretary this little collection of names which we were told represents their modest roster for the term 1917-18. Counselor and Treasurer, The Principal, for the present acting for him, Major W. H. Van Tassell; President, Cadet Captain Rebecca Champagne; Vice President, Cadet First Lieutenant Lillian Lieberz; Secretary, Cadet Corporal Sarah Elowitz; members, Cadet Second Lieutenant Bessie Frey, Cadet First Sergeant Elsie Hatch, Cadet Second Sergeant Elizabeth Koehler, Cadet Third Sergeant Rose Wax, and Cadet Corporals Nadine Lavoud, Grace Curedale, Eva Miller, Vera Hoffman, and Sarah Karten. We are all hoping that they will have a great year.

Wilhelmine H. Peper, M. A., of Columbia University, takes up duties here as art teacher, succeeding Mrs. Charles R. Dyas, nee Caroline Bogart, of Nova Scotia, who resigns for private home life, following her recent marriage.

On Monday, October first, Mr. G. C. Huckaby, Superintendent of the Louisiana State School for the Deaf visited the Institution and expressed admiration at the class rooms and trades schools work. He was escorted by Major Van Tassell, Executive Officer in Charge. On the same date and on two other periods during the week, Mr. Isaac Kani, Physical Director of the Tokio Normal College and of the Tokio School for the Deaf, Japan, studied our system. He was especially interested in the gymnasium.

Before a large numbered gathering for the first time since promotion and reorganization, the cadet battalion paraded Sunday afternoon and was reviewed by the Major. Mr. Stevenson preached the Sunday Sermons, speaking on duty and efficiency. After his topic in the afternoon, he escorted Mr. Edwin L. LaCrosse on the parade ground, where both witnessed the evolutions of the battalion.

The Protean Society wishes to extend thanks to its many friends who have contributed to its ever-growing library and magazine department. The Society is glad to receive reading matter of current date, and avoids over stocking its rooms by remembering "our boys in camp."

Messrs. W. Lux and John Stafford, graduates of the school, visited the boys Sunday afternoon.

BASE BALL.

Swayed from one to the other and in an uncertain surge of feeling, our base-ball rooters of the Giants and White Sox eagerly await with palpitating breath the final results of the present great world's series. Ardent admirers of the New York team are placing that club the sure winner, in spite of the strong opposition of the Chicago team supporters.

Nipped in the last inning, the supporters of the gold and blue suffered a severe jolt Saturday, it being one of the best spectacular contests of grit and pitcher's duel yet reeled off on the home grounds. It was the closing schedule of the season for the cadets, and a tremendous effort to bring to its best the developed individualism and team work, that has been somewhat lacking since the September reorganization reached its height. Under orders from Manager Margraf, the success of the nine seemed assured until a break at bat and a bit of the wild unabiding, brought the Bedford boys within even touch. The result may be best studied in the appended:

| Bedford. | JAB | R | H | PO | A | E |
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| Joe Sh. | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Seib 2b. | 4 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 0 |
| Williams s.s. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Einsel p. | 5 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Ruggie 1b. | 5 | 2 | 1 | 9 | 0 | 1 |
| Pleiser c. | 5 | 0 | 0 | 14 | 0 | 0 |
| Ray c.f. | 3 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Roberts r.f. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| Heldman l.f. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 39 | 7 | 8 | 30 | 8 | 5 |

| FANWOOD | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---------------|----|---|---|----|----|---|
| Stocker s.s. | 4 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 1 |
| Stokley 3b. | 5 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| Uhl c.f. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| St. Clair c. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 3 | 0 |
| Bellin r.f. | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Margraf 2b. | 5 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| McVernon l.f. | 4 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| Sussman 1b. | 2 | 2 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 0 |
| Snook p. | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Orman c.f. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
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Summaries—Two Base-hits—Uhl, McVernon, Roberts. Stolen Bases—Joe, Ruggie, Ray. 2; Stocker, Stokley, 2; Uhl, 3; St. Clair, Margraf, McVernon, 2; Sussman, 3. Earned Runs—Fanwood, 3; Bedford, 5. Left on bases—Fanwood, 7; Bedford, 5.

Base on balls—off Snook, 2; off Einsel, 7. Struck outs—by Snook, 10; by Uhl, 2; by Einsel 14. Double plays—Williams to Seib to Ruggie. Hit by pitcher—Snook (Seib). Hits and Runs earned—off Snook, 8 and 4 in 5-3 innings, off Uhl, 1 and 1 in 3-1-3 innings. Umpire—Cadet Adjutant Roy Parsons. Score—Band Master Wm. H. Edwards. Time of game—Two hours and ten minutes.

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Baltimore—Grace Mission, Grace and St. Peter's Church, Park Ave. and Monument St.

SERVICES.
First Sunday, Holy Communion and Sermon, 8:15 P.M.
Second Sunday, Evening Prayer and Address, 8:15 P.M.
Third Sunday, Evening Prayer and Sermon, 8:15 P.M.
Fourth Sunday, Litany, or Ante-Communion and Sermon, 8:15 P.M.
Fifth Sunday, Ante-Communion and Catechism, 8:15 P.M.
Bible Class Meetings, every Sunday except the First, 4:30 P.M.
Guided and other Meetings, every Friday, except during July and August, 8 P.M.
Frederick—St. Paul's Mission, All Saints' Church, Second Sunday, 11 A.M.
Hagerstown—St. Thomas' Mission, St. John's Church, Second Sunday, 8 P.M.
Cumberland—St. Timothy's Mission, Emmanuel Church, Second Sunday, 8 P.M.
Other Places by Appointment.

Rev. F. C. Smielau, Appoint-
ments.

During October, the Rev. Oliver J. Whildin, Secretary-Treasurer of the Society for the Promotion of Church Work among the Deaf in the Province of Washington, will accompany Mr. Smielau to several of his stations in Pennsylvania. Mr. Whildin will explain in detail the objects and work of the Society which has the endorsement of ten Bishops in the Province.

OCTOBER.

14—Lancaster, 9:30 a.m., Holy Communion. 10:30 a.m. Service and Sermon. Steelton, 3 p.m.
York, 7 p.m.
17—Hagerstown, Md., 8 p.m.
18—Cumberland, Md., 8 p.m.
19—Uniontown, Pa., 8 p.m.
20—Pittsburgh, Lecture, 8 p.m.
21—Pittsburgh, 10:45 a.m., Holy Communion.
Greensburg, 2:30 p.m.
Johnstown, 7:30 p.m.
22—Altoona, 8 p.m.
23—Reading, Lecture, 8 p.m.
27—Allentown, Lecture, 8 p.m.
28—Easton, 10:45 a.m.
Allentown, 2 p.m.
Reading, 7:45 p.m.
A few other places may be included in above schedule.

REV. FRANKLIN C. SMIELAU,
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Rev. B. R. Allabough's Appoint-
ments.

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14—Columbus, 10:30 a.m. Holy Communion to be celebrated by Rev. G. F. Flick, of Chicago.
Springfield, 10:45 a.m. Holy Communion to be celebrated by Rev. Allabough.
Bellefontaine, 3 p.m.
Lima, 7:45 p.m.
20—Toledo, 7:30 p.m.
21—Detroit, 7:45 a.m., Holy Communion, and 8:00 p.m.
Flint, 7:30 p.m.
23—Grand Rapids, 7:30 p.m.
24—Battle Creek, 7:30 p.m.
27—Marion, 7:30 p.m.
28—Indianapolis, 7:45 p.m. Lecture.
29—Indianapolis, 10:45 a.m., Holy Communion, and 8:00 p.m.
Terre Haute, 7:45 p.m.

Diocese of Connecticut.

Rev. G. H. HEFLON, Minister.

AUTUMN, 1917.

Hartford—Christ Church, first and third Sundays of the month, at 8 P.M.
Bridgeport—St. John's Church, Park Avenue, second Sundays, at 8 P.M.
New Haven—Trinity Parish House, Temple Street, second Sundays, at 7 P.M.
Waterbury—St. John's Church Parish House, third Sundays, at 7 P.M.
Pittsfield, Mass.—St. Stephen's Church, first Sunday of month, at 8:30 P.M.
Springfield, Mass.—Christ Church, first Sundays, at 7:30 P.M.
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